



# Loyd Presbyterian Church Lighthouse Newsletter

February 7, 2024

## STAY CONNECTED

### PRAYER Requests

Please continue to pray for the following people:

Dee Adkins  
Danny Allgood  
Ronnie Baker  
Lynda Brock  
John & Pam Darden  
Suzi & Bobby Goldston  
Reese Howell  
Bobby Johnson  
Marcia Johnson  
David Kelley  
Brian Longshore  
Peggie McGee  
Wiley & Jeff Nelson  
Alesia Nixon  
Family of Harriet Nora  
Allison Parrish  
Barry Plagens  
Ibby Robertson  
Susan Sims  
Bobbie Sirmons  
Hope Turner  
Freda Warlick  
Nancy Washington  
Jaxton Wood

Click **HERE** to make a prayer request. If you would like a separate email to go out, please email the message you would like to send to [loyd@loydpres.org](mailto:loyd@loydpres.org).



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Click **here** to view the latest sermon.



If you would like to provide **flowers in the sanctuary for 2024**, please sign up **[here](#)**. If you want the flowers dedicated to a loved one, please include the information on the sign-up sheet. Thank you.



Check out the church calendar **[here](#)**. Please email or call the church to add an event.

## A Brief Message from Tyler:

I am very excited to share a new schedule of worship during the season of Lent. We are partnering with Advent Lutheran to hold a series of Lenten services on Wednesday evenings. As I had previously mentioned, we will have our Ash Wednesday service on Feb 14th. The first portion (5:30p-6:00p) will be contemplative with space for imposition of ashes for attendees who would like to leave early. If you decide to stay, there will be a more formal service of worship starting at 6:00p.

We are invited to join Advent Lutheran for the services that they are hosting and then we will host a few at our church. Lent will conclude with Maundy Thursday dinner and worship.

I personally am looking forward to this new opportunity that we haven't done in the past. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this schedule. *Take note that refreshments will be served during the services from 2/21-3/20, with dinner served on Maundy Thursday, 3/28.*

## SCHEDULE OF LENTEN SERVICES:

2/14 ASH WEDNESDAY, 5:30P (@ LOYD)

2/21 ADVENT LUTHERAN, 6:00P\*

2/28 LOYD PRESBYTERIAN, 6:00P\*

3/6 ADVENT LUTHERAN, 6:00P\*

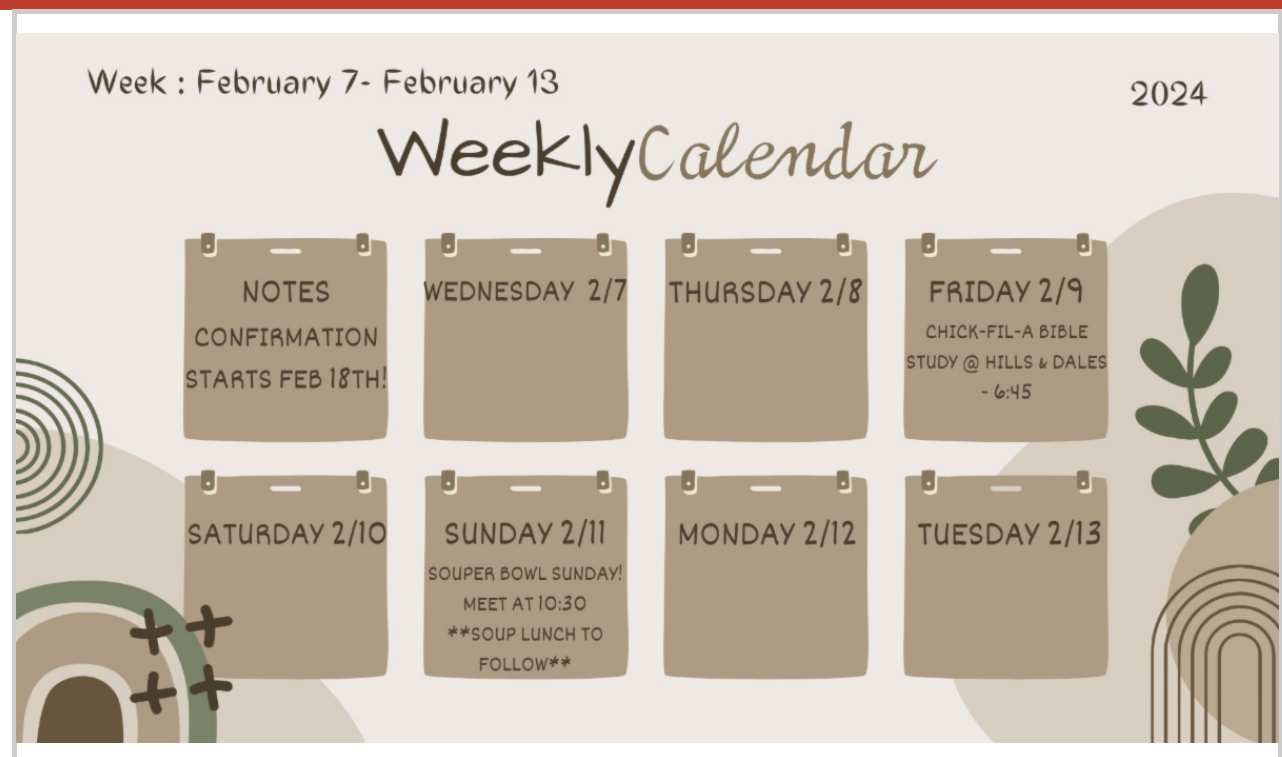
3/13 LOYD PRESBYTERIAN, 6:00P\*

3/20 ADVENT LUTHERAN, 6:00P\*

3/28 MAUNDY THURSDAY, 5:30P\*\*  
@ LOYD

\*Refreshments to follow  
\*\*Dinner will be served

## A Youth Update:



Join us this Sunday, February 11 for



our annual Souper Bowl Sunday. The youth will lead worship at 11:00 a.m. followed by a soup lunch in Darden Hall. Donations are welcome and will be given to the LaGrange Personal Aid Food Closet to help feed the hungry in our community.

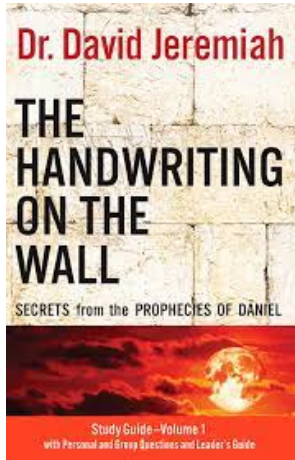
## A PW Update:



***Nurture & Outreach will be sending Valentine's Day cards to our college students.***

If you have not already given us your student's address or if there has been a change, please email their name and address to [loyd@loydpres.org](mailto:loyd@loydpres.org) or call the office at 706-882-5087.

## A Core 13 Update:

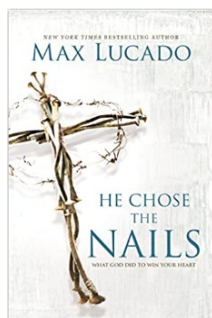


**Core 13 is currently studying *The Handwriting on the Wall* by Dr. David Jeremiah.**

If you are not already attending a Sunday School class, please consider joining Core 13. You are very welcome.

Prayer time is 9:45-10am  
Text Discussion 10-10:50am

## Mickey's SS Class Update:



Is your heart unsettled by the chaos of the world? Are you heavy-laden with bad moments, mad moments, or anxious moments? Today, rest in God's self-giving love and leave all your troubles at the foot of the cross.

It's not too late to join Mickey and the Alternative SS Class.

**To connect to:**

**MICKEY'S SS CLASS AT 9:45AM**

**Meeting ID: 915 8659 7246**

**Password: 7wRqSX**

## A Music Update:



### "Deep River"

op. 59 no. 10

by Samuel Coleridge-Taylor

(First published setting of this beloved spiritual)

Offertory, February 4, 2023  
Loyd Presbyterian Church

Celebrating Black History Month  
Rick Robertson, pianist

## STAY INFORMED



## CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Thank you to Jayne Pauley for putting together a new [CC rotation schedule](#). Weekly lessons are located in the Christian Education office.

2- Skylar Roberson  
5 - Paige Bradfield  
6 - Gayle Bowie, Harper Moore  
10-Kuilen Nash  
12-Carter Crites  
15 - Mike Pauley, Todd Sandiford,  
Leland Barker, Lennox Barker  
16 - Ryan Partin  
21 - Elaine Partin, Annie Pauley,  
Darden Brown  
22 - Elliott Lamb  
26 - Skip Lamb  
27-Leigh Taylor  
28-Kloe Nations  
29-Everett Quintana

## JOIN US

Calling all women of the church! Please join us at the next Mollie Darden Circle gathering on Thursday, February 15th at 6pm in Darden Hall. Gather with us for dinner, a short Bible lesson, and the making of our prayer shawls (a lot easier than you might think!)

No special skills are needed for any of the above activities!

And, both circles would like to invite any and all women of the church to either of the circle gatherings. Please call the church at 706-882-5087 to RSVP.





Please join Janet & Jerry Fletcher tonight at 6:00 in Darden Hall for Bible Study. Tonight's lesson will focus on laying the groundwork for Paul's letter to the Galatians.

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Ash   
Wednesday

There will be a service of worship on Ash Wednesday Service on February 14 from 5:30-6:30pm.

Schedule will be:

5:30-6:00p Contemplative time  
with music and prayer

6:00~6:30p Worship

# Congregational Meeting



There will be a Congregational Meeting Sunday, February 18. The Session has approved the 2024 Budget. It will be presented during this meeting and we will be voting on Tyler's terms of call.

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Hi my name is Stacie and I am fundraising for my daughter (Jada and Jacob Bonner). As of Tuesday, January 30th, Weslan (3 months old) was admitted to CHOA for failure to thrive. At the time he was 8 lbs and 1 oz, he is unable to tolerate feedings with a bottle. An NG tube has been placed, so he is now receiving nutrients, but still not gaining weight. Mom and Dad are both out of work to be with him, until he is able to come home. With three other children and bills piling up, they need a little blessing to help stay afloat during this journey of healing Weslan. Thank you! [Click here to help Weslan](#)



# Thornwell Luncheon

**Feb 25th@ 12:00 pm, following worship**

**550 Glass Bridge Rd, LaGrange, GA 30240**

Loyd Presbyterian Church is hosting a covered dish luncheon to support Thornwell, a children's minstry inspired by the teachings of Christ. A speaker from Thornwell will be joining us virtually to talk about their ministry and work in the world.

**You are invited to come and hear about these exciting things! Please RSVP with the church office at 706-882-5087.**

We will take a special offering to support Thornwell's mission.



## A Worship Update:

| DATE | LITURGIST     | ELDERS ON DUTY                | USHER/GREETER                |
|------|---------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 2/4  | Mike Pauley   | Eugene Turner,<br>Stacy Cline | Wade Hall,<br>Trudy Calhoun  |
| 2/11 | Youth         | Cy Wood,<br>Lois Vincent      | Veronica &<br>Brock Sirmons  |
| 2/18 | Sandy Mann    | Sally Burek,<br>Mickey Norris | Patti Knox,<br>Trent Mann    |
| 2/25 | Elaine Partin | Karen McBride,<br>Mike Pauley | Chase Darden,<br>Jeff Darden |

## News From the Session:

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## A Financial Update:

*2023 Giving Statements are in your church mailboxes or were mailed to you (if you don't have a mailbox at the church). If you would like the statement emailed or sent U.S. mail, please call the church office at 706-882-5087.*

**2-4-2024**

**Attendance:**

**Worship: 57**

**Sunday School: 27**

## Operating Fund:

**Received 2-4-2024: \$7,957.00**

**Budget per Sunday: \$5,626.00**

**Received Month to Date: \$5,626.00**

**Budget per Month: \$22, 504.00**



Please click [here](#) to view the latest news from the Session and [here](#) for the Congregational Meeting minutes.

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